

West Point N.Y.

February 10<sup>th</sup> 1854.

Dear Sir,

I have written a letter to Col. Snowden requesting that he will apply to the Secy of the Treasury to authorize your coming to New York to assist me in arranging and fitting up of the Army Office, and at the same time to pay your travelling and boarding expenses.

We have just commenced putting on the roof, and if the weather is favourable I think the building will be enclosed before the first of March when I shall be ready for interior operations and will be most happy to have the aid of your judgement and experience.

Mr. Mitten, through whom I received your letter of the 27<sup>th</sup> Jan., examined the building and understood our planning perfectly.

Yours very truly  
Geo. M. Dutton

Prof. Booth

Philadelphia Pa.



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